ASK THE VILLAGE MANAGER



People of all ages now use computers to do everything from chat with friends to reading the news online. "How is the Village of Key Biscayne using the new technology to improve service delivery to its residents?"

Here is the answer from Village Manager Jacqueline R. Menendez.

"Visit www.keybiscayne.fl.gov and you will see a number of enhancements on our village website including videostreaming that allows residents to watch Village Council Meetings live from their computer. Or, you can view archived meetings at a later date. If you missed the *State of the Village* speech earlier this year you can hear, and see, Mayor Robert Oldakowski deliver his message

from the Sonesta Beach Resort. Computer technology is making government more accessible for anyone who can sign onto the Internet. The Key Biscayne website provides information on everything from hurricane preparedness to current village job openings. You can download forms, including voters' registration and building permit applications. You can check the Village calendar to see upcoming events and sports schedules. A live webcam charts progress of the new Community Center. And, some government services are now delivered online. For example, contractors can view comments on building permit applications and request their inspections online. Look for more e-government improvements in the future."

Have a question for the Village Manager? You can send an e-mail query to jmenendez@keybiscayne.fl.gov or write to her at Village Hall, 88 West McIntyre Street, Key Biscayne, Florida 33149.

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IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

Village Manager's Office	305-365-5500
Village Clerk	305-365-5506
Building Zoning and Planning	305-365-5512
Fire Rescue	305-365-8989
Police	305-365-5555
Public Works -	305-365-8945
Recreation	305-365-8901
Building Inspections	305-365-5512
Code Enforcement	305-365-8917
Occupational License	305-365-8917
Senior Services Coordinator	305-365-8953
Solid Waste Information	305-365-5500
Sports Coordinator	305-365-8900
Zoning Information	305-365-5502
Mosquito Control	305-529-1186
Property Tax Collector	305-270-4916
Voter Registration	305-375-4600
Water & Sewer Emergency	
Services	305-665-7471

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The theme of this year's Fourth of July Celebration is "Let Freedom Ring." Activities kick off at 11 a.m. with a parade and end after sunset with one of the best fireworks displays in South Florida. The Fourth of July Parade Committee is expecting more than 50 floats to join the red, white and blue parade. In past years, creative Islanders have decorated their

cars, baby strollers and even pets in Stars 'n Stripes décor.

In addition to the parade and fireworks there will be a day long celebration on the Village Green with a flea market and games for the kids. Local restaurants will sponsor a *Taste of the Key* for serious munching.

For more information about the Fourth of July Celebration or the Community Center membership kickoff, call the Recreation Department at 305-365-8901.

Village of Key Biscayne Community Center Rate Schedule

Category	Daily Resident	Daily Guest	Monthly	Annual
Adults	\$8.00	\$12.00	\$50.00	\$275.00
Youth (18 & Under)	\$5.00	\$8.00	\$20.00	\$125.00
Senior (65+)	\$6.00	\$9.00	\$30.00	\$200.00
Student (25 & Under)	\$6.00	\$9.00	\$30.00	\$200.00
Couple	N/A	N/A	\$70.00	\$350.00
Sr. Couple	N/A	N/A	\$50.00	\$300.00
Family	N/A	N/A	\$100.00	\$475.00

After July 4, membership applications will be available at www.keybiscayne.fl.gov